



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9550**
Yoshiaki HIRANO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003_1020A
Serial No. 10/626,573 : Group Art Unit 1621
Filed July 25, 2003 : Examiner Rosalynd A. Keys

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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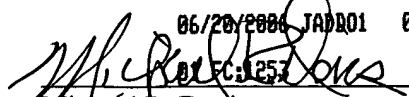
Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of
December 19, 2005.

The fee of \$1,020.00 is

- ☒ submitted herewith.
☐ to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.
☐ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
☐ is enclosed.
☐ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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